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Applicant(s): Adamou et al
Serial No: 10/067,385 Art Unit: 1645
Filed: 5 February 2002 Examiner: Devi, S.
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the Decision dated 23 February 2005 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 3, 11, 18, 20 and 23 of the above-referenced application for patent.

Applicant requests the Commissioner to note the following items:

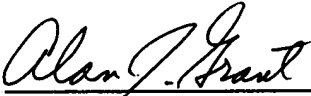
1. A response to the final rejection is filed herewith.
2. Applicant is a large entity and the fee for filing this Notice of Appeal is \$500.00,

and

3. A check for \$500.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the Notice of Appeal.

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No additional fee is believed due in filing this Notice of Appeal. The Commissioner is requested to charge any additional fees, or credit any refunds, to Deposit Acc't No. 03-0678.

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